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**PATENT**

**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

Applicant : Peter Cornelis Meininger

Customer No.: 1923

Appl. No. : 10/556,523

Confirmation No.: 3517

Filed : February 9, 2007

Title : SYSTEM FOR CODING A RECORDED IMAGE, **AMENDMENT TRANSMITTAL**  
AND METHOD THEREFOR

Grp./A.U. : 4177

Examiner : Michael A. Strieb



Mail Stop Amendment  
Commissioner for Patents  
P.O. Box 1450  
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Dear Sir:

Transmitted herewith is an Amendment in the above-identified application.

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| Total Claims                              | 10               | 20                                | 0               | \$25.00 =  | \$0.00 |
| Independent Claims                        | 3                | 3                                 | 0               | \$100.00 = | \$0.00 |
| Multiple dependent claims newly presented |                  |                                   |                 |            | \$0.00 |
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Respectfully submitted,

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For: SYSTEM FOR CODING A RECORDED  
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**REPLY TO OFFICE ACTION MAILED OCTOBER 18, 2007**

MAIL STOP AMENDMENT  
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Dear Sir:

This is a Reply to the Office Action mailed October 18, 2007. The original period of response to the Office Action is a shortened statutory period of three (3) months from the mailing date or January 18, 2008; therefore, this Reply is timely filed. Applicant respectfully requests reconsideration and allowance of the pending claims in the present Application in view of the Amendments and Remarks below.

**Amendments to the Claims** begin on page 2 of this paper.

**Remarks/Arguments** begin on page 4 of this paper.